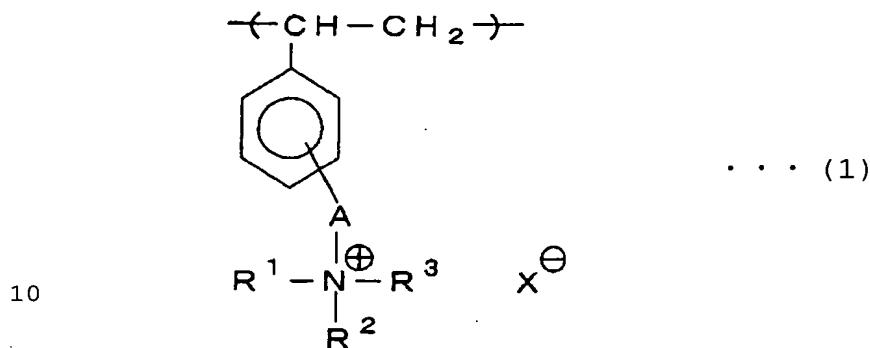


ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An anion exchange membrane comprising a resin phase which contains from 20 to 96 mass% of a polymer having repeating units represented by the following formula (1):

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wherein A is a C<sub>3-8</sub> alkylene group or an alkyleneoxyalkyl group having a total carbon number of from 4 to 9, each of R<sup>1</sup>, R<sup>2</sup> and R<sup>3</sup> is a hydrogen atom, a C<sub>1-6</sub> alkyl group or a hydroxyalkyl group, and X<sup>-</sup> is an anion, and wherein any hydrogen atom bonded to the benzene ring may be substituted by an alkyl group or a halogen atom, and from 4 to 80 mass% of a thermoplastic polymer having no ion exchange groups, substantially uniformly.

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